



State of Louisiana

STATE LICENSING BOARD FOR CONTRACTORS

LANDSCAPING, GRADING, AND BEAUTIFICATION

As of August 1, 2012, qualifying parties for any contractor applying for the classification of Landscaping, Grading, and Beautification will be required, in lieu of a Board trade exam, to submit one of the following from the Louisiana Horticulture Commission, Department of Agriculture and Forestry:

Either:

1. A copy of *both* a current **Landscape Horticulturist License** and a copy of a **Landscape Irrigation Contractor License**.

Or:

2. A copy of a current **Arborist License**.

Information regarding these licenses from the State Horticulture Commission can be found at:

<http://www.ldaf.state.la.us/portal/Offices/AgriculturalEnvironmentalSciences/HorticultureQuarantinePrograms/tabid/120/Default.aspx>

Note: A Utility Arborist License will **not** be accepted as a substitute for the Arborist License.